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CAUTION TO TRESPASSERS.

All persons are hereby cautioned against trespassing with dog, gun or otherwise, upon any part of the Woodland connected with or reserved from Tolchester or Oakland farms. The law will be enforced against all such trespassers.

The removal of any WOOD or TIMBER from the said woodlands is prohibited after this date. All persons guilty of this species of trespassing will be prosecuted.

oc18,1902 tf.* WM. B. USILTON & SONS.

CAUTION NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified not to trespass by gunning, hunting or otherwise upon the premises I now occupy, called "Oakland," and located on the opposite side of the public road from Tolchester farm. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

oc18 tf.* WILLIAM BRAMBLE.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

SEASON OF 1902-1903.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the following Personally-Conducted Tours for the season of 1902 1903:—

California.—Two tours: No. 1 will leave New York, Philadelphia, Harrisbug, and Pittsburg January 29; No 2 will leave February 19, and will include the Mardi Gras at New Orleans.

Florida.—Three tours to Jacksonville will leave New York and Philadelphia February 3 and 17, and March 3. The first two of these admit of a sojourn of two weeks in the "Flowery State." Tickets for the third tour will be good to return by regular trains until May 31, 1903.

Tickets for the above tours will be sold from principal points on the Pennsylvania Railroad. For detailed itineraries, giving rates and full information, address Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg; E. Youngman, Passenger Agent Baltimore District, Baltimore; C. Studds, Passenger Agent, Southeastern District, Washington; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

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Do you want a "Good Cook Stove?" Let me sell you a

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No. 7 with pipe - - - $15.86
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The Hollow Ware add . $1.59
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You are entitled to the above prices providing you bring or send this adv. This is for a short time only. Write or call on us.

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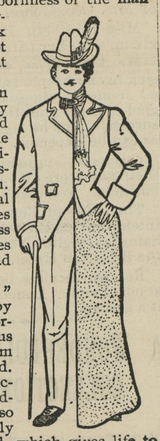
A full line of solid gold-filled handle silk umbrellas for men and ladies at reasonabl prices.

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Half and Half.

The dyspeptic may well be represented pictorially as being half masculine and half feminine, and combining the least desirable characteristics of either sex. He has all the stubbornness of the man with the peevish irritability of a sick woman. He's not pleasant company at home or abroad.



Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures dyspepsia and other diseases of the stomach and associated organs of digestion and nutrition. It renews physical health which carries with it cheerfulness of temper, and makes life a pleasure instead of a penance.

The "Discovery" purifies the blood by eliminating the corrupt and poisonous accumulations from which disease is bred. It increases the activity of the blood-making glands, so increasing the supply of pure rich blood, which gives life to every organ of the body. It gives new life and new strength.

"Your 'Golden Medical Discovery' has performed a wonderful cure," writes Mr. M. H. House, of Charleston, Franklin Co., Ark. "I had the worst case of dyspepsia, the doctors say, that they ever saw. After trying seven doctors and everything I could hear of, with no benefit, I tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and now I am cured."

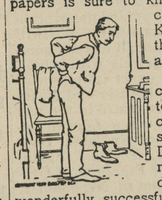
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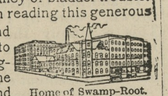
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Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.



It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



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30,000 young Peach Trees for present and Spring Delivery. One year from bud. Guaranteed to be true to name; healthy and sound as the certificates show.

INSPECTED BY EXPERTS, READ THE FOLLOWING.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that we have this day finished the "Hand Inspection" of the Nursery Stock of Mr. John Bell, of Chestertown, Kent County, Maryland, and that said Nursery, and premises are apparently free from San Jose Scale, Peach Yellows, Pear Blight and other dangerous plant diseases.

WM. C. TRAVERS.
THOMAS RASIN.

Inspectors of fruit trees for Maryland. Nov. 17th, 1902.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify, that on the 10, 11, and 12 days of November 1902, we examined the Nursery Stock of John Bell, growing in his nurseries at Chestertown, County of Kent, State of Maryland, in accordance with the laws of Maryland, 1898, Chapter 289, Section 58, and that said nurseries and premises are apparently free, so far as can be determined by inspection, from the San Jose Scale, Peach Yellows, Pear Blight and other dangerously injurious insect pests and plant diseases.

This certificate is invalid after August 1st, 1903, and does not include nursery stock not grown within this State, unless such stock is previously covered by certificate and accepted by the State Entomologist and State Pathologist.

A. L. QUAINTANCE,
State Entomologist.
J. B. S. NORTON,
State Pathologist

College Park, Md., Nov. 13, 1902.

JOHN BELL,
CHESTERTOWN, MD.

Rose Hill Nursery. Nov 22 4mo

CAUTION TO GUNNERS.

ALL PERSONS are cautioned against trespassing upon Tolchester farm by gunning, hunting, fishing or otherwise, after this date, under the penalty of the law.

HENDERSON CROSBY,
oc18-tf.* J. ALFRED BRAMBLE.

Town Taxes.

Corporation Taxes for 1902 are due and prompt settlement is requested.

All Taxes not paid by January 1, 1903, interest will be charged from September 1, 1902.

M. WILBER THOMAS,
n15 tf. COLLECTOR.

LIVING IN LONDON.

It Is Not a Good Place For a Man of Small Income.

An American who in the classical language of his country is at present "located" in London wants to know whether any city in the world is quite so niggardly as our town. He has been going the round of the London restaurants and has encountered in the management of them a spirit which distresses him. "There is, to begin with," he says, "a charge of from twopence to sixpence for guarding your hat and coat in the cloakroom, and a tip in addition is expected. You want to wash your hands—another twopence or another sixpence and another tip. You take up the menu, and, behold, there is an intimation that a charge of threepence each person will be made under the guise of 'table money.' The charge varies according to the nature of the place. Threepence is the lowest and sixpence perhaps the average. At a great many restaurants it is 1 shilling and in at least two that I have visited 1s. 6d. The only difference is that in the lower priced restaurants it is called 'table money' and in the higher priced ones placed under the captivating heading of 'couvert.' To my mind, an entrance fee frankly demanded at the door would be much less offensive than to find yourself asked at the end of a dinner to pay for the trouble and expense of cleaning up the cutlery you have used."

His conclusion of the whole matter is that "London lives by imposing a fixed tariff on the accessories that in every other city I have ever been to are thrown in gratis," and he thinks that being a gentleman is one of the most expensive professions an Englishman can have. He declares it to be an utter delusion that London is a cheap place to live in. "For the poor man," he says, "the man whose income is less than £800 a year, there is no city where less can be had in the way of comforts and even the necessities of life. In New York it is only the luxuries that cost. The expenses of everyday living may be as great or as small as one cares to make them. New York, in fact, is laid out for the poor man. From the transportation system to the price of such fundamental charges on the household treasury as coal, ice, fuel, meat, bread, milk and fruit, almost everything conspires to bring him in a good return for a very small outlay. All these things are cheaper in New York than in London."—London Chronicle.

Bills In Congress.

The words "has introduced a bill in congress," applied to a senator or representative, usually sound much larger than their ordinary meaning warrants. In order properly to estimate the value of the introduction of a bill one must remember that of 12,000 or 15,000 measures introduced a few hundred only are passed. As for proposed amendments to the constitution, the infant mortality among them is appalling. Each new congress sees a score or more of proposals for a "sixteenth amendment to the constitution." We shall doubtless some time have such a thing, yet three amendments, all of which were consequences of a great civil war, represent the only changes made in the constitution since the presidency of Thomas Jefferson.—Youth's Companion.

Houses and Superstitions.

"Real estate men are gradually forgetting most of the old time superstitions which used to cause us much trouble," said a dealer the other day. "The number of houses which cannot be rented or sold on account of being haunted or because some terrible crime was committed on the premises is rapidly decreasing. We run across only a few people who balk at living in house No. 13. Even elderly men who have made big fortunes are beginning to believe that there is nothing in the old saying that the aged rich man builds a mansion to die in."—New York Tribune.

The Whip Tree.

In the island of Jamaica grows a tree, with the botanic name Daphne lagetto, from the branches of which native workmen make peculiarly strong and excellent whips, which have the handle and lash all of a piece. The handle consists of a part of the stem retaining the bark. For the lash the stem is deprived of bark and then split into strips, which are woven together in a flexible cord six or seven feet in length. The proper taper is afforded by detaching more and more of the strips as the end of the lash is approached.

Composite.

Dashaway—Quilldriver seems to be a fellow of extremes—one who writes awful slush and sublime prose and who is at the same time an idiot and a genius.

Cleverton—Where did you get such an idea?

Dashaway—I've just been reading the reviews of his latest book.—Harper's Bazar.

Distinctly Original.

Clara—But were the places described in Tom's book at all like the real places and did the men and women act and talk like real people?

Edith—Mercy, no! The book is distinctly original. That is the charm of it, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Pleasant While It Lasted.

"What would you do if you woke up some morning to find that you had inherited a million dollars?"

"I'd turn over on the other side and try to dream it again."—Chicago Record-Herald.

France produces $15,000,000 worth of chestnuts a year and Italy $20,000,000 worth.

Coughs

"My wife had a deep-seated cough for three years. I purchased two bottles of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, large size, and it cured her completely."

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Probably you know of cough medicines that relieve little coughs, *all coughs, except deep ones!*

The medicine that has been curing the worst of deep coughs for sixty years is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing.

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Rheumatism

That dread disease that cripples you, causes the most excruciating agony and unfits you for your business

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NELATON'S REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM

Has cured thousands, and will cure you. Your money back should it ever fail. $1 a bottle is all it costs.

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The 6, 7 and 8c. kind, per roll . . . 3c

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Furniture,

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Framed Pictures and Picture Frames made to order.

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A CARD.

I shall continue at Chestertown to represent GILL & FISHER in buying Grain. I find some who insist upon selling by inspection and weights at this end, and in future I will buy accordingly. I am now making offers for Wheat, and for Corn to be delivered during November, December and January. Will take grain by Railroad, Sail Vessels and Steamers.

Hoping to do business with you, I remain

Yours truly,

H. M. BROWN.

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Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* The Kind You Have Always Bought

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STIEFF PIANOS

Celebrated their 60th birthday a short while ago, and during those three-score years their good qualities have brought them fame. There are no better Pianos, but there are a good many not nearly so good. Why not inspect them before you purchase an instrument?

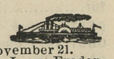
Besides them, we have many other instruments at prices to suit the most economical, Accommodating terms. Catalogue and book of suggestions cheerfully mailed upon application.

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TOLCHESTER CO.



Schedule on and after November 21.

SASSAFRAS RIVER LINE—Leave Fredericktown Tuesdays and Fridays at 1 p. m., Betterton at 2.15 p. m., Gale's at 3.15 p. m., Buck Neck at 3.45 p. m., leave Baltimore Tuesdays and Fridays at 7.30 a. m., for Betterton and Sassafras River Landings, Gales and Buck Neck.

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CHESTER RIVER STEAMBOAT CO.



CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

BEGINNING MONDAY, Nov. 17, 1902.

STEAMER EMMA A. FORD,

Leave Chestertown Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 8.00 a. m.

Stopping at Rolph's, Booker's, Quaker Neck, Cliffs, Bogles, Queenstown and Kent Island

Leave Baltimore on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 11 a m. for Kent Island, Queenstown, Bogle's, Cliffs, Quaker Neck, Bookers, Rolph's and Chestertown.

STEAMER B. S. FORD.

Will leave Centreville on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m., stopping at landings on Corsica River, Queenstown, Jackson's Creek, Kent Island & Rock Hall.

Leave Baltimore Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Rock Hall, Kent Island, Jackson's Creek, Queenstown and landings on the Corsica river.

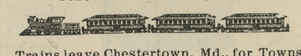
SPECIAL SATURDAY TRIP—To and from Rock Hall.—Steamer B. S. Ford, Leave Baltimore at 3 p. m. Leave Rock Hall at 5.15 p. m.

GEORGE WARFIELD, President.
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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

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Schedule in effect May 26, 1902.



Trains leave Chestertown, Md., for Townsend, Wilmington, Philadelphia and intermediate stations at 6.50 a. m. and 2.40 p. m. week days.

For Clayton, Smyrna, Harrington, Georgetown, Beerlin, Ocean City, Seaford, Delmar and intermediate points, 6.50 a. m., 2.40 p. m., week dys.

Leave Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, FOR NEW YORK: Express, week days, 3.20, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 6.50, 7.33, 8.20, 9.03, 9.50, *10.21, 11.00, a. m., *12 00 noon, 12.35 *1.00 1.40, *2.30, 3.00 3.50, 4.00 (Limited *4.11) *5.00, *5.56, 6.00, 7.02, *8.05, 10.00 p. m., 12.02 night. Sundays, 3.20, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.18, 8.25, 9.50, *10.21, *11.20 a.m., *12.35, *2.30, 4.00, (Limited *4.11) *5.20, *5.56, 6.35, 7.02, *8.05, 10.00 p. m., 12.02 night

For Boston, without change, 10.50 a.m. week days and 8.05 p. m. daily.

For Sea Girt, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove Long Branch, 6.50, 8.52 a. m., 12.27, 3.30 and 4.00 p. m. week days. Sundays (stops at Interlaken for Asbury Park) 8.31 a. m. week-days.

For Lambertville, Easton and Scranton, 6.50, 9.06 a. m., 12.00 noon, 3.52, 5.00 (Lambertville and Easton only) week days, and 7.02 p. m. daily. Buffalo, 9.06 a. m., week days, and 7.02 p. m. daily.

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Premium Notes	195,843.00
Total	$ 266,150.00

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